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Applicant: Janeczko, R.A.

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Title: POLYNUCLEOTIDES FOR USE AS TAGS AND TAG COMPLEMENTS
IN THE DETECTION OF NUCLEIC ACID SEQUENCES

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Sir:

This is further to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated June 21, 2004. The following documents are included in this submission:

1. Declaration signed by Inventor JANECKO;
2. Sequence Listing on pages 1/368 to 368/368 for inclusion in the application;
3. Diskette containing the Sequence Listing in computer readable form;
4. Statement in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.821(f);
5. Petition for one month extension of time; and
6. Copy of the Notice dated June 21, 2004; and

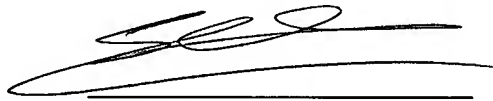
7. Fee Transmittal.

This response is being filed contemporaneously with the filing of Preliminary Amendment, submitted under separate cover.

A cheque in the amount of \$240 (\$130 surcharge for late filing fee and \$110 fee for requesting a one-month extension of time for responding) is included with this submission. In the event that additional fees are payable, Applicant hereby requests that additional fees which may be required for the papers being filed with this letter be charged to, or any overpayment be credited to, Account No. 02-2553.

Respectfully submitted,

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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- This application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR. 1.821-1.825. Applicant's attention is directed to the final rulemaking notice published at 55 FR 18230 (May 1, 1990), and 1114 OG 29 (May 15, 1990). If the effective filing date is on or after July 1, 1998, see the final rulemaking notice published at 63 FR 29620 (June 1, 1998) and 1211 OG 82 (June 23, 1998). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing", an initial paper or compact disc copy of the "Sequence Listing", as well as an amendment directing its entry into the application. Applicant must also provide a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

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